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The Patentee of the U.S. Patent No. 7,014,824 submits this inquiry to request the status of the previously-filed Petition to Correct Inventorship. On August 1, 2007, the Commissioner was respectfully requested under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.323 and 1.324 to add Donald Paul Russell as a joint inventor of the above-referenced patent, along with the current inventors John D. Hottovy, Dale A. Zellers (deceased), and Robert K. Franklin. Enclosed were: a statement from the added inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his part; statements from the current inventors agreeing to the change of inventorship; the written consent of the Assignee; and an Assignment signed by the added inventor. It was respectfully submitted that this Petition complied

Status Inquiry Regarding Petition to Request Correct Inventorship
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complied with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.323 and 1.324. Accordingly, the Patentee respectfully requested grant of the Petition to correct the inventorship of the above-referenced patent.

Respectfully submitted,

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